

Water-Data Report 2008

352909082382802 Local number BU-087, NCDENR Bent Creek Research Station PZ-11, near Bent Creek, NC

Piedmont and Blue Ridge crystalline-rock aquifers Saprolite

Buncombe County, NC

LOCATION.--Lat 35°29'09", long 82°38'28" referenced to North American Datum of 1983, Buncombe County, NC, Hydrologic Unit 06010105, in Bent Creek Research Forest, 1.2 mi north of Blue Ridge Parkway, 2.5 mi southwest of Bent Creek. Owner: NCDENR (North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources), Division of Water Quality.

GROUND-WATER RECORDS

WELL CHARACTERISTICS.--Drilled observation well, depth 30 ft, diameter 2 in., cased to 25 ft, screened interval from 25 ft to 30 ft.

DATUM.--Land-surface datum is 2,260.02 ft above National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929. Measuring point: top of protective steel casing, 2.81 ft above land-surface datum, June 15, 2004, to present.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 2004 to current year.

GAGE.--Measured periodically with electric and steel tape.

REMARKS.--Well is part of Piedmont/Mountains ground-water study.

EXTREMES FOR PERIOD OF RECORD.--Highest water level measured, 7.74 ft below land-surface datum, February 24, 2005; lowest water level measured, 10.34 ft below land-surface datum, August 14, 2008.

WATER LEVELS IN FEET BELOW LAND-SURFACE DATUM

Water			Water	
Date	level	Date	level	
Feb 19, 2008	8.44	May 16, 2008	9.34	
Mar 17	8.67	Jul 2	9.47	
Apr 25	9.15	Aug 14	10.34	
25	9.15	Sep 29	10.04	

Highest: 8.44 Feb 19, 2008 Lowest: 10.34 Aug 14, 2008

